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In re application of

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INFORMATION RECORD MEDIUM, INFORMATION RECORD  
APPARATUS AND METHOD, INFORMATION REPRODUCTION  
APPARATUS AND METHOD, INFORMATION RECORD REPRODUCTION  
APPARATUS AND METHOD, COMPUTER PROGRAM FOR RECORD  
OR REPRODUCTION CONTROL, AND DATA STRUCTURE  
CONTAINING CONTROL SIGNAL

FURTHER PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

Assistant Commissioner for Patents  
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Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

October 11, 2005

Sir:

Prior to the first Official Action, please amend the  
above-identified application as follows:

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing  
of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

**Remarks** begin on page 10 of this paper.